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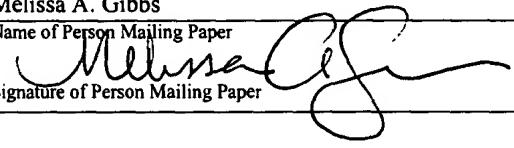
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Application of:	Patrick J. Muraca	Examiner:	Not yet assigned
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified patent application, please find the following documents:

1. New Patent Application Transmittal;
2. Patent Application Specification, (352 pages);
3. (7 ) sheets of informal drawings;
4. Patent Data Entry Sheet;
5. Return Post Card.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27, Applicant claims small entity status.

The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment in the total fees to Deposit Account No. 16-0085, Reference No. 5568/1042. A duplicate of this transmittal letter is enclosed for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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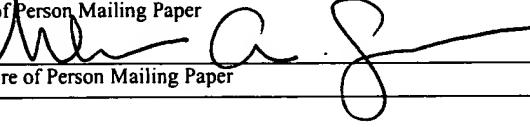
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Enclosed herewith is a new patent application of:

First Named Inventor (or application identifier): Patrick J. Muraca

Title of Invention: "Oncology Tissue Microarrays"

Type:

New  
 Continuation of: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Continuation-in-Part of: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Divisional of: \_\_\_\_\_

and includes the following papers:

Specification 352 pages (including specification, claims, abstract)/38 claims (4 independent)  
 Declaration/Power of Attorney is:  
     attached       executed       unexecuted  
     NOT included, but deferred under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f).  
 7 Distinct sheets of  Formal  Informal Drawings  
4.  Preliminary Amendment.  
5.  Information Disclosure Statement  
     Form 1449  
     A copy of each cited prior art reference  
6.  Assignment with Recordation Cover Sheet.  
7.  Priority is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based upon the following application(s):

Country	Application Number	Date of Filing (day, month, year)
US	60/236,649	September 29, 2000

8.  Priority is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120 based upon the following application(s):

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9.  Priority document(s).

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10.  Statement of Small Entity Status, Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.27.
11.  Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix).
12.  Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission.
  - Computer Readable Copy.
  - Paper Copy (identical to computer copy).
  - Statement verifying identity of above copies.
13.  Request for Non-Publication and Certification under 35 USC 122 (b)(2)(B)(i)
14. Calculation of Fees:

FEES FOR	TOTAL CLAIMS	EXCESS CLAIMS	Fee	AMOUNT DUE
Basic Filing Fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a))				\$710.00
Total Claims in <b>Excess of 20</b> (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(c))	38	18	\$18.00	684.00
Independent Claims in <b>Excess of 3</b> (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b))	4	1	\$80.00	80.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(d))		Y	\$270.00	270.00
<b>Subtotal - Filing Fee Due</b>				1744.00
Reduction by 50%, if Small Entity (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28)			MULTIPLY BY 0.50	872.00
<b>TOTAL FILING FEE DUE</b>				872.00
Assignment Recordation Fee (if applicable) (37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h))	0		\$40.00	
<b>GRAND TOTAL DUE</b>				872.00

15. PAYMENT is:
  - included in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_ by our enclosed check. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in the fees to Deposit Account 16-0085, Ref. 5568/1042.
  - not included, but deferred under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f).

16. All correspondence for the attached application should be directed to:

**Paula Campbell Evans**  
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17. Other: Patent Data Entry Sheet

Respectfully submitted,

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